

HAMPDEN-SIDNEY DEFEATS SPIDERS IN HARD CONTEST

Fighting Spirit of Men Aroused and Luck Figures in Result.

BLANTON'S TOE BRINGS VICTORY

Game Abounds in Thrills, and College Has Number of Opportunities, but Fumbles Prevent Scores—Team Crippled and Many Substitutes Used.

Richmond College again tested the dregs of defeat yesterday, when the football team from Hampden-Sidney won a hard earned victory by the very close score of 3 to 0.

It was a great game of football, with the spiders seemingly the better team, but unable to advance the ball at any of the crucial moments. Blanton, a Richmond boy, brought the bacon home for his eleven, when, in the final moments of the third period, he sent the oval squarely between the goal posts from a hard angle for a field goal, the only score of the contest.

Not in many years has there been a harder fought contest than that which happened yesterday. To the surprise of every one the spiders put up the pluckiest kind of a game, and but for some poor judgment at certain intervals a victory would have been achieved. It was a plucky uphill fight all the way. The spiders gained far more ground than their victorious opponents, but, when the ball was in the very shadow of the goal a fumble would give the visitors a chance.

Fumble Responsible. It was a fumble which gave the Garnet and White the opportunity to score. By successive end runs, aided by a forward pass, the local warriors had advanced the ball well into the enemy's territory.

Blanton was called on to boot the ball out of danger. He did his part all right, but on receiving the punt Taylor failed to make the catch, and the ball bounced out of his hands into those of his opponents. Then came the successful try for field goal, which finally won the game.

While the defeat will rankle for a long time, there is nothing for which Richmond College should feel badly. The men put up the gamiest kind of a fight, and showed that they are able to cope with any of their rivals hereabouts. Not for a moment was there any loading. It was fight all the way, with the Red and Blue struggling all of the time for victory.

The game began with Hampden-Sidney kicking to the locals. Quickly Murray and Throckmorton and Brown carried the ball down the field to Hampden-Sidney's twenty-yard line, where it was surrendered on a fumble. The visiting backs were unable to get a start, and Blanton was called on to punt out of danger. It was Blanton's toe which kept the spiders from winning. The period ended with the ball on Richmond's eighteen-yard line in their possession. The quarter was (Continued on Second Page.)

CAROLINA AGGIES DEFEAT TENNESSEE

Visitors Make Game Fight, but Lose by Score of 16 to 0—Contest Is Played on Water-Soaked Gridiron.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Raleigh, N. C., October 28.—A. and M. won another victory to-day against a new foe, the University of Tennessee, the score being 16 to 0. The Tennesseans were worthy opponents, and although from the first it was seen that A. and M. would win, they fought gamely to the finish. In the first quarter, A. and M. scored a touchdown in the first four minutes of play by end runs, line bucking and a forward pass. Seifert missed goal.

In the second quarter, Tennessee attempted to punt on their thirty-yard line, but Floyd broke through and ruined the kick, the ball being secured by Dunn, A. and M. on Tennessee's five-yard line. Seifert went down and a series of line plays, and an exchange of punts by A. and M. Tennessee fumbled the ball on their twenty-yard line, and Seifert got it. Seifert scored the touchdown on a forward pass, but missed the try for goal.

A. and M. got within one yard of Tennessee's goal in the last quarter, but lost the ball on failure to make necessary gain. There was another chance to score in this quarter when Stafford lost the ball on Tennessee's twelve-yard line, when he was tackled.

The game was played on a water-soaked field, but it did not mar the playing.

A. and M. Position. Tennessee Seifert.....R. E.....Gelsler Floyd.....R. T.....Kelly Dunn.....R. G.....McGuire Bykes.....L. G.....Gause Fyler.....L. T.....Kehr Phillips.....L. E.....Carroll (Donaldson)

Stafford, Capt. Q. B. Broush, Capt. (Page) Cool.....R. H. B.....Fonde Hart.....F. B.....Tompkins Anthony.....L. B.....Appelwhite Summary: Penalties—A. and M. 45 yards; Tennessee, 20 yards. Time of quarters—ten minutes. Referee, Crafts, of George Washington. Umpire, Jackson, of Baltimore City College. Field Judge, McNitt, of Ohio State University. Head Lineaman, Thompson, of A. and M. Attendance, 400.

Princeton, N. J., October 28.—The Princeton eleven took Holy Cross into camp this morning. The Tigers held the whip hand all through the game except in the third period, when loose line play and fumbles kept them on the defensive continually. They did not advance the ball a single yard, while the scrappy visitors tore through the Tigers for thirty-five yards and another seventy yards for a touchdown. Tucker after kicking laid hands on him, only to be knocked off the feet from a flying arrow. Captain Hardy was also a tower of strength to the Tigers. He went down under punts with the ends, and nailed his man with such deadly tackling that the visitors took to signaling for a fair catch when the human battering ram was near enough to strike. The individual play of the Tigers was fine, but team work was lacking.

The Tigers used only old formations to do the trick. They gained 20 yards on rushing the ball to the visitors' twenty-yard line.

The Tigers are weak at drop kicking. Baker put his best try over, but missed two other chances, once kicking straight into the line. It was an ideal day for football, the air being cool and clear. About 2,500 witnessed the contest.

TWO PLAYERS BADLY HURT IN GAME AT WINCHESTER [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Winchester, Va., October 28.—Lynn Huntington, of Bristol, one of the star players on the Shenandoah Valley Academy football team, was seriously injured and rendered unconscious here this afternoon in a game with St. James School, of St. James, Md., which was won by Shenandoah Valley Academy, 22 to 0.

Cook, of St. James, was also injured. Both men were carried off the field. The entire Shenandoah Valley Academy line put up excellent defensive work, and the running of Hildreth, Coble and Bunting were features.

Greenboro Defeats Danville. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Danville, Va., October 28.—The Greenboro High School defeated the Danville school here this afternoon by the score of 14 to 0. The entire team was slightly heavier than the locals.

MEDICAL COLLEGE WINS FAST GAME

Defeats William and Mary at Williamsburg by Score of 6 to 0.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Williamsburg, Va., October 28.—The Medical College defeated William and Mary to-day at Williamsburg, 6 to 0, in a very fast game. The Medics suffered many penalties, while William and Mary was penalized only once during the game. The Medics plowed through the lines for from ten to fifteen yards, and were within striking distance three or four times, but from penalties issued by the field judge were unable to score more than one touchdown.

Schenck scored on a run of twenty yards, following a previous run of fifty-five yards for a touchdown, which was not allowed.

The game ended with the Medics having the ball on William and Mary's five-yard line.

Hardy and Elder frequently plugged the line for gains of ten and fifteen yards.

The line-up was as follows: W. and M. Position. M. C. V. Lee.....Centre.....Cofe Dietl.....left guard.....Slaughter Stanley.....left tackle.....Davis Sumner.....right guard.....Brooknell Brinkley.....right tackle.....Robler (Lee)

Blitzer.....right end.....Foster Moffet.....left end.....Arnold Tille.....quarterback.....Schenck Gaines.....right half.....Elder Spencer.....full back.....Hardy Hubbard.....left half.....Long

Officials: Referee, Taylor, William and Mary. Umpire, Dr. Hanks, Medical College of Virginia. Field Judge, Spencer, William and Mary. Head Lineaman, Monroe, William and Mary. Touchdown, Schenck. Goal, Schenck.

Blues and Ex-Preps. in Hard-Fought Game at Byrd Park.

Byrd Park was the scene of a great gridiron contest yesterday afternoon, when the Richmond Light Infantry Blues met the Ex-Preps, and after four hard-fought quarters the game ended with a score of 0 to 0. Neither team was able to get a man across the goal line, but the exhibition of football was as classy as any seen in Richmond in a long time.

The battle, which was the first played this season by the Blues team, attracted a great crowd of football enthusiasts, who "rooted" vigorously for their respective favorites.

The Ex-Preps, having already played several games this fall, were in fine condition for the fray, and they put up a hard fight to vanquish their opponents, but the Blues, who have been holding hard practices for some time, were ready to meet them and prevented any score. Features of the game were the playing of Parsons and Saunders, for the Ex-Preps, and Wall, MacRae and Jones, for the Blues. The line-up was as follows:

Ex-Preps. Position. Blues Wallerstein.....right end.....Dennis Sweeny.....right tackle.....Goddard (Macedowell) Tyler.....right guard.....Cochran Jacobs.....centre.....Wall Parsons.....left guard.....Carr (Houston) Willshire.....left tackle.....Vandell (Persons) Murphy.....left end.....Jon (King) Baker.....right half back.....MacRae Shelton.....left half back.....Burke Saunders.....full back.....Richardson

Subs: Ex-Preps—Carter; Blues—Adams, Kinsey and Fairbank. Officials—Referee, Blackstone; Umpire, Morton; Field Judge, Janders; Lineaman, VanBell.

The Blues will play their next game at Broad Street Park on November 2 against the Medical College of Virginia.

EVENLY MATCHED ELEVENS BATTLE TO TIE SCORE

V. P. I. and Washington and Lee in Great Gridiron Game.

EACH TEAM MAKES ONE TOUCHDOWN

After Years of Decisive Defeat, Result Regarded Almost as Victory by Lexington Club.

Filled With Enthusiastic Rooters.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Roanoke, Va., October 28.—After years of decisive defeat at the hands of the strong eleven from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, the 5 to 5 tie score of this afternoon perches almost like a victory on the banners of the Washington and Lee team. Not since 1907 has the Blue and White team put men in the field who were able to withstand the heavy assault of the Tech machine.

That game played in Lynchburg would have resulted in a tie, but for a fuke on which the Orange and Maroon scored. That was a time, too, when the Techs were clearly outplayed, and would have lost despite the fuke, had it not been for the wonderful kicking of Henderson.

To-day, from the spectators' viewpoint, the teams were evenly matched in punting ability, and while Washington and Lee probably had the best of the weight, there was little advantage in favor of either eleven. The Techs had Hopkins and Left Half Back Ives were out of the game.

Washington and Lee and the V. P. I. divisions of the grandstand were crowded with supporters of the respective teams, while the bleachers at the right were well filled with crowds of lusty rooters. From a distance grandstand presented a pretty sight. It was a mass of Blue and White and Orange and Maroon pennants, and the source of loud and prolonged cheering.

To the right sat the Washington and Lee contingent, with a band, which continually played those strains familiar and well loved by the students and alumni of the institution.

On the opposite side sat the V. P. I. supporters, no less enthusiastic in songs and college yells, which sent the team on to renewed efforts. The referee's whistle blew soon after 3 o'clock.

V. P. I. scored first, making a touchdown at the end of the second quarter on a short end run by F. Legge. The ball was carried to the extreme right of the gridiron, and while the punt out was good, F. Legge missed putting it into the uprights.

Washington and Lee crossed the Tech goal line in the first minute of the play in the last quarter. They took the ball on the cadet ten-yard line, and with a forward pass from Slater to Francis placed the pigskin between the players themselves, on the field. Slater kicked it to Miles, who fumbled on a bad punt, thus losing the chance at goal.

The work of Webster and Miles, for Washington and Lee, was brilliant, while Gibbs and F. Legge were the distinguished players for the Techs.

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Summary: Time of quarters, fifteen minutes. Referee, Mr. Gass, of Leigh University, Roanoke, of Virginia. Head Lineaman, Robertson, of Richmond College. Field Judge, Sampson, of the Roanoke Athletic Club.

Hermine Golf Club. Considerable interest is being shown in the next golf tournament at the Hermine Golf Club, which is scheduled for Wednesday, November 8. A man and woman team will play one ball between them, taking alternate strokes. The drive to the first hole will be given to the man. Pairings will be made by players themselves, but in case of an odd couple a scorer will be provided to accompany them. A number of players have entered the tournament already. The woman of the couple scoring the lowest net score will receive a prize from the club. Handicaps will be posted before the tournament.

Vanderbilt Puts Up Game Battle. Ann Arbor, Mich., October 28.—Giving the Make and Blue one of the toughest battles they have witnessed in history, and in threatening to snatch victory until the last moment of play, Vanderbilt University's football eleven was defeated 9 to 8 by Michigan to-day in a sticky contest, filled with thrilling dashes of individual brilliance.

Michigan outplayed Vanderbilt a trifle in the first half, but in the final two periods the men of Vont fought as heroically and as often to defend their own goal line as they did to batter Vanderbilt's defense in an effort to score.

Neither team counted in the first two quarters. Each scored a goal in the third. In the final period Vont's Michigan all-American end, succeeded in crossing the Vanderbilt goal line, and Captain Conklin kicked goal. A few moments later Captain L. Morrison, of Vanderbilt, duplicated Wells's performance, but failed to kick goal.

GAME AT CHAPEL HILL CLOSELY CONTESTED

Carolina Makes Two Touchdowns on U. S. S. Franklin Team—Both Elevens Try Forward Passes Without Success

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Chapel Hill, N. C., October 28.—The University of North Carolina football squad won from the team of the United States steamship Franklin in a hotly contested game here to-day by a score of 12 to 0. While the college boys had the edge on the sailors from the start, the game was replete with interesting features.

The game was played on a wet field. Captain Wilson did not go in until the last part of the last quarter. The first touchdown came in the first few minutes of play when the sailors kicked off to Coffin, who returned it to midfield, Wakely's brilliant advance took the ball up to within the shadow of the goal posts and he carried it for a touchdown. Tillet kicked goal. The second touchdown did not come till the last quarter, when Hurst intercepted one of the sailors' attempted forward passes, taking it twenty yards to the goal. Tillet kicked goal.

Winston went in near the last of the quarter, and showed his usual form, making steady gains. The game ended with Winston's thirty-yard advance, after he received a punt.

Small, for spectacular tackles, deserve special mention. Prevatt, for the sailors, at full, played the game with a vim, and was conspicuous all through the action from the first kick off to the call of time at the end.

Both teams continually tried forward pass, but were rarely successful. The sailors made a good impression at Chapel Hill for clean sportsmanship.

The line-up: Carolina. Position. U. S. S. Franklin Long.....left end.....Edmondson Johnson.....left tackle.....Hunt (Capt.) Deans.....left end.....G. Henderson Crutchfield.....centre.....Costad (Ritch) Manning.....right guard.....Barny (Johnson, Orr) Abernathy.....right tackle.....Schurr (Quinn)

Strange.....right end.....Vanderback (Moore) Tiller.....quarterback.....Quinn Wakely.....left half.....Bussham (Winston, Capt.)

Sailors. Position. U. S. S. Franklin Coffin.....right half.....Hill, Davis (Quinn) Coffin.....right half.....Hill, Davis (Quinn) Coffin.....right half.....Hill, Davis (Quinn)

Officials: Thompson, of North Carolina, umpire; Hudson, of V. P. I., head line; Lawson, of North Carolina, head linesman.

Randolph-Macon Wins From Richmond Team by Score of 11 to 0.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Ashland, Va., October 28.—Randolph-Macon defeated the University College of Medicine here this afternoon, 11 to 0, in a hard fought contest. Although Full Back Hopkins and Left Half Back Ives were out of the game, Randolph-Macon had no trouble in defeating the doctors. The score probably would have been larger but for the absence of Hopkins and Ives. The doctors showed great strength by several long end runs, but sustained many heavy losses.

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The weather was cold and snappy, and ideal for a football game. Line-up: Randolph-Macon. Position. U. C. M. Vaughan.....left end.....Highsmith Copley.....left tackle.....Sinton Desha.....left guard.....Crenshaw (Barnett) Button.....right guard.....Parker Jordan.....right tackle.....Yohannan (J. Dwyer)

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White and Blue Squad Improving in Efficiency as Football Machine.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Chapel Hill, N. C., October 28.—The next important game on the Carolina schedule is with V. P. I. on November 4 in Richmond.

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VIRGINIA SHOWS ITS BEST FORM AGAINST V. M. I.

Defeats Cadets in One-sided Game by Score of 22 to 6.

ONLY TOUCHDOWN CAUSED BY FLUKE

After First Minute of Play University's Goal Is Never Threatened—Orange and Blue Supporters Greatly Encouraged by Marked Improvement Shown by Team.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Charlottesville, Va., October 28.—Virginia showed a reversal of form to-day over last Saturday, and easily vanquished the eleven from Virginia Military Institute, 22 to 6. The game was even more one-sided than the score would indicate.

The single touchdown made by the Cadets was due to a fluke. It came in the first minute of play, when with the ball on Virginia's thirty-yard line, Captain Wood, in passing the ball back to Goodhue, sent it right over the full back's head. The pigskin rolled across the goal line, and was entirely out of the hands of the Cadets for a touchdown. Moore booted the ball between the posts, and there V. M. I.'s scoring ended. Never again during the remainder of the contest was Virginia's goal seriously threatened.

In many ways the contest afforded encouragement to Virginia supporters, and was a decided improvement over anything shown thus far this season. The line frequently opened up big holes in the attack, and the backs gained ground consistently.

Jett, Yeager, Todd and Carter were in the line. Jett, who scored twice, scored wide territory, and whenever the ball was fumbled he was there to pounce upon it. Yeager played a dashing game, and Carter tackled in superb form. The forwards blocked at least four of Moore's kicks. Goodhue's punting stamps him as a worthy successor to Bowen.

Quarterback Will played a brilliant game for the cadets.

Line-up: Virginia. Position. V. M. I. Hewitt.....left end.....Karl (Lowry) Wellford.....left tackle.....Owen (Barnett)

Carter.....left guard.....Gulera Wood.....centre.....Purdie Jett.....right guard.....Dalton Woolfolk.....right tackle.....Clarkson (Somers)

Wilson.....right end.....Bwell (McDonald) Goodhue.....quarterback.....Witt Yeager.....left halfback.....Kingman (Walter)

Todd.....right halfback.....Leece (Smith) (Hathaway) Goodhue.....fullback.....Moore

Touchdowns—Todd, Yeager (2), Woolfolk, Goodhue. Goals from touchdowns—Yeager (2), Moore. Referee—Kinsolving (Virginia Military Institute). Umpire—Kerby (Georgetown). Field Judge—Elliott (Virginia). Head Linesman—Roller (Virginia Military Institute). Time of periods, 15 minutes.

WOODBERRY PLAYS SURPRISING GAME

Defeats Strong Fredericksburg College Team by Score of 20 to 0.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Orange, Va., October 28.—In thirty-six minutes of actual play Woodberry Forest defeated Fredericksburg College in football this afternoon by the score of 20 to 0. Even the most sanguine supporters of the home team had not hoped for so large a score, as neither Richmond College nor Randolph-Macon was able to cross Fredericksburg's goal line this season.

In the first quarter Woodberry made two touchdowns. Its sterling backfield, Tanner, Walker, Simonds and N. Carter, gained ground almost at will. The visitors did better in the next quarter, but after the intermission Woodberry made another touchdown, and in the final period of play Simonds kicked a field goal.

Fredericksburg was unable to make first down a single time. This weakness in offense may have been due in part to the absence of two of her star players, Mills and Carter. Smith and Cheney were good on the defense. The entire Woodberry team played with unusual dash and vim. R. Carter and Duncan would often break through the line and throw the runner for a loss. Captain Ryan's tackle featured. The line-up:

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WHIRLWIND GAME BY PENN STATE

Most Thrilling Exhibition of Football Seen at Pennsylvania in Years.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Philadelphia, Pa., October 28.—Pennsylvania's football team suffered one of the worst defeats in its history this afternoon at the hands of State College by the score of 22 to 3. The visiting collegians scored twenty points in the first period by the most thrilling exhibition of running game seen here in years.

In the second period Penn made her only touchdown. State did not score again until the fourth quarter, when Captain Mercer, kicking from behind his goal line, was obliged to fall on the ball, which was blocked for a safety.

The scoring of State's three touchdowns were the result of whirlwind football, that made the Penn team look like school boys. The first score came when Quarterback Miller caught Mercer's kick-off on the ten-yard line, and on the length of the field behind good interference. The second touchdown came with almost as much speed.

The third touchdown was a spectacular as the first. A fumble set Steat back to the five-yard line, compelling Maute to punt from behind the goal line. It was a high kick, and Penn Barry catching it. The ball bounded, speeding sixty yards and the third touchdown. Just before the period ended Thayer's punt was blocked, and rolled back over the goal line, where Harrington fell on it for a safety.

Neither Team Scores. Annapolis, Md., October 28.—Western Reserve played to-day a better game against the Naval Academy than it has in any of its previous contests, and the result was a mutual blank. On the whole the Midshipmen had the better of it along most lines of playing, though the lines were very evenly matched.

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